RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1610

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Yi Li et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 15, 2008, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.